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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION  
AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C. F. R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2007, Applicants hereby provisionally elect with traverse the invention, as identified by the Examiner, of Group I, claims 2 - 12, 25, 26, 31, 38 - 44, 46 and 47. Further, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the specification are presented  
beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of  
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